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EASTERN DATES TO JUNE 25

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, June 24—Letters of seventeen of the leading bankers and merchants of New York, Brooklyn, Jersey City, Newark, Hoboken and other cities in the vicinity of New York, addressed to Secretary Boutwell, have been received, all of which express the most unqualified approval of the action of the Secretary in offering to purchase bonds.

BUFFALO, June 24—A fire this morning destroyed the Bee Hive Block, the Express Office, Mayer & Co's Clothing House, Hall's Hotel, Bee Hive Restaurant, Hall's Billiard Saloon, Hall's Bowling Saloon, Hall's Bar, Hall's Dwelling, Hall's Barber Shop, Hall's Bath Rooms, Hall's Cigar Store, Hall's

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING JUNE

Eastern Labor Strikes

For once we have to compile dispatches ... nearly ... of the ... New York ... will be the usual lot of ... It really looks how ever as if straight Democratic candidates ... were nominated ... that ... one can form a ...

Many Democratic organs and ... New York ... of ... Mr Greeley ... What these ... hours of labor ... It is a confession which ... made It is well to look at this thing in a practical light The man who ... to eight hours is or ... accomplish ... men work ... For several years the labor ... been agitated ... demagogues ... what is due to them from others should begin to consider what is due from themselves All the lamentation and complaint about their condition which are heard so much are unworthy of them They are not the poor unfortunates demagogues would make them out to be The ... work of ten hours is not the peculiar hardship they represent In some shape or ... the lot of all men who deserve to be called men, of all human beings who are not content to be mere drones sluggards and loafers pests and burdens to society instead of a benefit And nowhere is this lot more inevitable than in this free young Republic of ours with its magnificent destinies yet to be worked out Nowhere is the attempt to shirk that lot more discreditable Complaint from American freemen of labor is a misfortune Why, the only unfortunates are those who cannot labor not those who do and can The stalwart sinewy men who make up those meetings are the last objects for pity in the world It is an abuse of language for such Americans to even style themselves poor Men with sound minds and sound arms are not poor Real poverty in this land is to be found only in orphan infancy languishing sickness or decrepid age, or other conditions which make labor impossible The mere lack of the superfluities of the rich does not make a man poor for every element of true well being and happiness may, and usually does, be outside of these You seldom or never hear an American workman complaining of his hard lot without seeing in him a bad specimen. He is almost sure to be one who has made himself unhappy by his own misconduct one who has sought success where success is never found in any vocation—somewhere else than in his own persevering industry sobriety and frugality The only possible result of this workingmen's agitation is just the same positive evil It *demoralizes* the younger and less experienced portion of the laboring class—saps the manly independent self controlling spirit which should animate them dissatisfies and unsettles them makes them ever ready to curse their fate for trials which belong to every human condition, and ever prone to look away from themselves for relief It is this which insensibly shapes so many of these men into mere tools for demagogues, speculators, and all kinds of special schemers. They who are fond of spending their time in tap-rooms want as few hours of labor as possible, but energetic men, who are ambitious of success, and desire to achieve independence for themselves and families, will not hesitate to work ten hours a day, or even twelve. If they do not work all they can they stand little chance of ever bettering their condition

Toil and Trouble

Democratic papers of our State which oppose Greeley tell us that they are 'looking with intense anxiety to Baltimore They have hope of "straight out" nominations there, yet it would be impossible to guess on what such hope is based What the New York *World* calls the "Greeley craze has taken possession of their party and the acceptance of Greeley at Baltimore an event which a few weeks ago seemed incredible is an established and unalterable fact

At the East, Democrats hold mixed views as to what should be done Their political barometer is very changeable But the most sagacious politicians of the party are unanimously of opinion that Mr Greeley cannot possibly get the solid Democratic vote The Chicago *Times* declares that any man who thinks that Greeley would not lose at least ten per cent of the Democratic vote the country over, is "a perfect blockhead and that any person who thinks that Greeley could under any possible circumstances beat Grant "has about as much political sagacity as a last year's bird's nest The *Times* has an elaborate estimate on the electoral vote as between Grant and Greeley gives the former 284 and the latter 86 The position of the New York *World* against Greeley is equally bold. It asserts that Grant can only be beaten by a candidate who can unite the opposition vote If Mr Greeley were endorsed at Baltimore he would divide the opposition vote Why should any Democrats adopt such a course that would inevitably result in defeat and defeat?

While Democratic counsels are thus divided as to the candidacy of Mr Greeley it is observable that he so called Liberal Republicans' are far from being united warmly in supporting him Whatever they have to say respecting the Cincinnati nomination is coupled continually with the unaccomplished wish that it was some other man The New York *Nation* a paper of current thought and solid character which was among the earliest and most efficient advocates of the movement which culminated in Cincinnati says that an atmosphere of sweetness surrounds Mr Greeley's name in which it is impossible to dispel In that paper's opinion the Reformers lost or threw away their opportunity Such also is the opinion of the New York *Evening Post* which did so much to build up the Cincinnati movement as Senator Schurz has not yet been dragooned into supporting Greeley and has been conducting the campaign with an effort to bring ... The Springfield *Mass* ... ley paper and the ... New England ... that the ... Philadelphia ... For Democratic ... running ... If they ... abandoned ... organization and their ... candidate ... for this ... or go over ... cans If the ...

OREGON

Miss Lilley a dressmaker ... to the Dalles ... sent to the Insane Asylum

... valued at $6 No 18 ... shingle installation on the ... The Jacksonville brass band was ... with a ... ocean ... week by ... sons ...

The ... will ... Mr Grover ... certificate ... assistant ... Mr Grover has great ... for peace and kindness ... While ... striker remains to ... of Mr Grover ... month ... the wages right upon the greenback craze in Salem and the rest of August at Democratic ... Yamhill the ... lism and good sense to ... fanciful craze

The following is kept standing matter at the head of the editorial columns of the New York ...

FOR President
ULYSSES S GRANT
of Illinois
FOR Vice President
HENRY WILSON
of Massachusetts

'Gen Grant never has been defeated and he can or will be —*Hartford Courier*

While asserting the right of every Republican to his untrammeled choice of a candidate for next President until a nomination is made I venture to suggest that Gen Grant will be far better qualified for ... than in ... was in 1868 —*Horace Greeley speech ... January* 1871

The direct claims of the United States against Great Britain amount according to semi official authority to $4 021 121 which sum includes $1 120 705 for losses for increased war premiums These are the claims among the confederate cruisers as follows *Alabama* $1 047 610 *Shenandoah* $6 488 220 *Florida* $1 698 10 *Tallahassee* $ 78 *Georgia* $383 970 *Chickamauga* $45 600, *Nashville* $69 037 *Retribution* $30 *Sumpter* $10 690 *Sallie* $7 500 *Boston* $400

Our neighbor of the *Herald* who is firmly of opinion that no American crew will ever win a boat race on the Thames until we get a Democratic Administration, finds also the prospects of our State of Oregon very gloomy in view of the certain repeal of the Lungant Act and the Portland Police bill

One of the best results of Grant's administration is the subjugation of the Democratic party to the point of surrender The surrender will take place at Baltimore on the 4th of July

We have says the Boston *Traveler* the infallible authority of Shakspeare that Grant will be re elected A tanner he says will last you eight years

THE TERRITORIES

Farm hands are quite scarce in the Walla Walla valley

Crickets are destroying all the crops on the Palouse river in Idaho

A municipal election will take place at Walla Walla on the 8th of July

A frail one by the name of Lizzie Harrison suicided with laudanum at Helena M T on the 11th inst

Crops in the San Pete Valley are looking finely, although rather backward for the first of June Cattle and horses are rolling fat

The National Park on the headwaters of the Missouri river is attracting much attention and many visitors will go there this summer

The Walla Walla County Agricultural Society will hold the annual Fair next September commencing on the 18th and continuing four days

The *Statesman* at Walla Walla, says On last Friday at 5 o'clock P M the thermometer marked 98° This was in a cool place exposed it boiled over

Mr L E Vowel while engaged in mining on some hydraulic diggings on Spruce bar Montana was suddenly caved on while in the cut, and instantly killed

The Helena *Gazette* says 'Montana was heard from in the National Convention at Philadelphia Col Church was called for and elegantly filled the assembled delegates by singing The March Through Georgia

They have a regularly organized yacht club at Shoalwater Bay and much competition exists which will be exhibited on the coming Fourth of July at which time the club will have their second annual regatta

The removal of the forwarding houses and stage offices from Corinne to the end of the Utah Northern, has been indefinitely postponed Where the end of the track will be just now is not at present ascertained

Corporal Green of the 7th U S Infantry double quicked from Fort Shaw He took a mule to ride and $1 000 in greenbacks to pay for 'fodder' The mule was the property of Uncle Sam ditto the greenbacks Lieu Woodruff was after the corporal but got another mule, greenbacks or Green Back Green wasn't green enough to be caught

The amount from ... paid into the Idaho Territorial treasury for the first quarter ending the 30th of June last is $5 ... The amount paid in for the corresponding quarter ending at the same time last year being the 10th of June last was $2 132 The falling off this year is $1 ... Five counties in ... Ada Idaho Lemhi Owyhee and Shoshone have not paid in anything this year or made any report

The following facts and figures concerning the year ending June 1872 are taken from the report of ... Number of vessels ... district ... tonnage ... Value of foreign imports ... Value of ... exported ... Number of vessels entered from foreign ports ... tonnage ... Number of vessels cleared for foreign ports ... tonnage ... Number of vessels ...

A correspondent of the Yankton *Dakotaian* writes as follows about matters at the crossing of the Missouri by the Northern Pacific News of the crossing is not yet here received The former Carlton Station on the ... Lake Pepin ... Crossing on the ... Lake of the Woods ... At present people ... bury ... teams ... wagons ... ferry ... will have ranged along the river some years and have taken up the ... and cut up ... high ... raising the wood and making a ...

Judge A C Newcomb has lately returned from visit to his ... and Spokane country ... reports the Walla Walla ... with the following ... Land ... but little ... there ... wooded ... Palouse ... bunch grass ... wide in the bottoms ... Bunch grass is to be found all over to upland ... and now ... as in the month of May ... the trout ... frequently met with ... over knee high ... the farmers ... There is enough land ... to ... long near the mountains between the Palouse and the Spokane to make a thousand ... into farms ... would not be ... from ... next ...

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, JUNE 26, 1872.

CITY.

MR. TAYLOR'S LECTURE.—We regret that no larger audience was present last night at the Court House, to hear Mr. Taylor's lecture. The subject was handled by the speaker in a masterly manner, and showed up the evils of our indulgence in strong drinks in a manner that ought to convince the most determined advocate of Bacchus of the danger...s ground on which he stands. The liquor traffic has an unsparing foe in Mr. Taylor, and though in his lectures he uses no offensive personalities, he is earnestly severe on his denunciation of the business of liquor selling. His power as an orator over his audience is equaled but by few speakers who have visited our city, and those who desire an intellectual feast should not fail to hear him. Mr. McDougall, who is another fine speaker, will address the people at the Court House on to-morrow Thursday evening.

A JAPANESE YOUTH.—The Japanese youth, named Kinzo, who was employed in the office of Messrs. Leonard & Green, of this city, from the year 1860 until a few years ago, has recently written a letter to his former employers in Portland. The letter was dated Yeddo, Japan, May 24th, in which it is stated that he had received the appointment of Secretary to the Japanese Minister to the Court of St. James, London, and would soon depart on that mission. His letter, commenced in Yeddo, was concluded in Yokohama, from which port he was to sail. Kinzo fails not of remembrance or in gratitude to his friends here in Portland, and his letter is one of much interest.

DIED.—Capt. F. C. Smith, father of Geo. Venable Smith, of this city, died at Pendleton, Umatilla county, on his way to Salt Lake City, about the 20th inst. Capt. Smith was an old pioneer of Sacramento, where he was long and prominently known as an able and successful business man. He is well known all over the coast, having transacted business largely in California, Nevada and Utah. He was a man of great energy of character, with elements of popularity, and, besides hundred who have been the recipients of his kindness and generosity, there are very many who will deeply mourn his loss.

FROM SALEM.—A dispatch was received by a gentleman in this city, on Monday evening, stating that it was determined by resolution that the Grand Lodge A. F. and A. M., then in session at Salem, should come to this city in a body to assist in the dedicatiion ceremonies of the new Masonic Hall. The time set was last evening. Accordingly a special train was sent up yesterday to accommodate the Lodge. The train left Salem at 5 o'clock last evening and reached this city about 8 o'clock. The dedication will take place probably to-morrow.

GOES TO HIS HOME.—By the steamer *Ajax* which will sail this evening for San Francisco, J. W. Whalley, Esq., one of the prominent practicing attorneys of this city, takes his departure for the Old World. Mr. Whalley departs to revisit his old native home in England, from which he has been absent for about 20 years. He will not return before next October. The numerous friends of Mr. W. will unite in wishing him a safe, pleasant and prosperous voyage, and a speedy return to the young city of his adoption.

WOOD DESTROYED.—About 300 cords of wood was destroyed on last Sunday afternoon below Springville. The wood belonged to Watt Bros. It is supposed that the fire was communicated from some Chinese shanties near by, or was the result of incendiary work. The wood was fir, dry as tinder, and piled close to the bank of the river. It was piled altogether, so that it was impossible to save a stick after it had caught on fire. The loss is estimated at about $2,000.

REHEARSAL.—A grand rehearsal will be held to-morrow evening at Philharmonic Hall, by all the leading vocal and instrumental musicians in the city. The object is to effect arrangements for holding a grand jubilee on the Fourth, in connection with the other exercises of the day. It is to be hoped that every one who feels an interest in musical matters should attend.

OAKLAND REACHED.—Yesterday the construction train reached Oakland, on the Oregon and California railroad. It will be several days before the bridge across the little stream which runs through the valley to the north of Oakland and upon which the town is located will be completed, but passengers will be landed in the suburbs of the village.

SURROUNDED.—The brick engine house at the southern end of the city in which is placed the machinery used in pumping the water from the river to the reservoirs, has been surrounded by water for the last two weeks, so that the work has been suspended. For the last few days, since the water has fallen, pumping has been resumed.

I STREET.—On I street, East Portland, the grading is going bravely along. Five gangs of men are now engaged in excavating and leveling that street. In some places the cut is over ten feet deep. The activity displayed in street improvements indicates progress and enterprise on the part of that flourishing little town.

FULL CLAIMS.—The balance wrought invented last year by Colonel Leonard, of this place, and noticed by the press at the time, has been patented recently—everything that was claimed for it being allowed. Mr. Patterson, formerly of the *Herald*, has the management, and reports that the invention promises to take well.

CAPT. WHITE.—This gentleman, of the ship *Forward*, intends to start for England as soon as that vessel shall have completed discharging her cargo. He goes on a short visit, and will be absent about two months. Meantime the *Forward* will remain at this port until his return.

ADJOURNED TO ATTHEE.—The reason that the Circuit Court adjourned this week was owing to Judge Upton being a delegate to attend the session of the Grand Lodge A. F. & A. M. at Salem and his inability to be in two remote localities at one and the same time.

BATHING.—We observed a number of boys yesterday engaged in swimming on the other side of the river in front of the city. These juveniles perhaps overlook the fact that such exhibitions of their persons entitle them to an interview with the police.

CRITICAL CONDITION.—Mr. B. F. White, an account of whose severe fall, and its no less severe results, was given in yesterday's issue, is reported to be in a very critical condition. The present indications are not of a flattering character.

LARGE MILL.—The machinery for a large saw mill is being made at one of the foundries in this city. The mill will be situated on the Tillamook. The schooner *Mary Bond* has been chartered and will carry the machinery to that point.

ENCLOSED.—A very neat and substantial picket fence is being placed around the new and well-regulated park in Holladay's Addition. By this improvement the appearance of that portion of East Portland is materially altered.

DRIVING PILES.—Pile driving is going vigorously ahead across the lagoon on I. street, East Portland. A substantial bridge will be constructed as soon as that part of the improvement shall have been completed.

DISCHARGED.—We understand that the last patient with the small pox has been discharged from the pest house. If that is the case, no more fears need be entertained by our citizens in regard to this scourge.

EXAMINED.—To day the students to be examined at the Portland Academy and Female Seminary will be as follows: Algebra, Grammar, Reading, Evidences of Christianity, Arithmetic and Virgil.

SUBORNATION OF PERJURY.—The examination of Zeb. Wilson and other parties, charged with subornation of perjury, will take place before Justice Chitwood this morning at 9 o'clock.

FOR PORTLAND.—The steamship *City of Panama* will sail from San Francisco for this port to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

It is pretty well understood that Judge Wilson has been elected to Congress. In this fall the citizens of everybody will be taken up with the National election. But notwithstanding these exciting events, Jas. Kelly & Co., 91 Front street, are doing a lively trade at their clothing house. The reason of this is that they offer such liberal inducements to those who buy of them with cash.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Steamer day.

River on a stand still here.

Vivian is now all the rage.

New City Council to-morrow evening.

Last meeting of the old City Council this evening.

The Japs appear to night at Horner's Hall, Jacksonville.

Yesterday's noon train brought a large number of passengers.

The river at Vancouver did not fall any on Monday night.

A large fire in the woods in the rear of East Portland yesterday.

S. C. Hunt, connected with the New York *Times*, is in the city.

The old ferry boat was taken to the upper end of the city yesterday.

A grand excursion to Oregon City next Sunday is seriously talked of.

Couch's Addition is an attractive point for purchases in real estate.

No real estate transactions were recorded in the clerk's office yesterday.

Ice cream and water is pleasant to thirsty palates this kind of weather.

The steamer *Ajax* will sail this evening at 8 o'clock for San Francisco.

The furniture, etc., is being rapidly unpacked and placed in Halsey's new hotel.

A refreshing wind from the north rendered the weather quite comfortable yesterday.

The Stark street ferry boat had a troublesome time of it yesterday, against the winds.

The steamer *E. N. Cooke* returned from Astoria yesterday and went up to Oregon City.

It is stated on good authority that there is not a single case of smallpox now in the city.

Halsey's new Hotel will be known as the Clarendon House. It will be opened on Saturday.

New water mains are being placed along down North Front street, by the side of the Gas Works.

Herald's young man No 2 is "doing" the Joss House. The subject is trite and has long since been exhausted.

Be sure and get your mails for the steamer at the Post Office and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office on time this afternoon.

The loose earth has been filled in at Couch's Lake until the embankment has extended out to Halsey's new hotel.

Six hundred and fifty bales of wool will be sent to San Francisco by steamer to-day, the shipment of one establishment in this city.

Have your steamer mail in the Post Office and Wells, Fargo & Co.'s office forty-five minutes previous to the time the *Ajax* departs.

Those who cannot call for their mail at the Post Office between the hours of 8 A. M. and 6 P. M. should know that that institution is open until 7 P. M.

We are informed on good authority that there never was any promise made to construct Trinity church of stone, the down-street cotemporary to the contrary notwithstanding.

The Neptune Rowing Club have not yet responded to the suggestion in our paper of Monday. Come, gentlemen, help along the day's exercises by sports on the water.

Fifteen sacks of eastern paper mail arrived at the Postoffice last evening—in a horrible condition, as usual. Mr. Underwood, we learn, has promised to have them come by the southern route.

The erudite (?) literary critic who dishes up local pabulum for the *Bulletin*, undertakes to tell the public what we meant to say in a certain paragraph. Nature and his limited education render him eminently competent to perform that task—as evinced by his total inability to tell his readers intelligibly what *he* means to say.

AMUSEMENTS.

THEATRICAL.—"Ben Bolt" will be produced at the Oro Fino Theater this evening, the performances concluding with "Betsy Baker." Between the two pieces Vivian will entertain the audience with some of his great sketches and character songs.

ORO FINO THEATER.—A large audience was present last evening at this place of amusement. "Noomie" and "Shoemaker" were rendered in first class style. Between the two pieces Vivian made his welcome appearance and gave the audience a number of his specialties, "Champagne Charley," "I'm Glad to See You, Boy," "Castles in the Air" and "Ten Thousand Miles Away" were rendered in his most happy and pleasant manner. Already has this talented artiste grown to be a a public favorite, and his efforts to please are heartily appreciated, if constant applause is an indication of popular favoritism. As the engagement is short, all should attend at least once while he remains here. To night he will appear in several of his great specialties. See programme in another column.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, JUDGE.

TUESDAY, June 25, 1872.

In the case of McCuen et al. vs. ship *A. M. Small*, exception to libel overruled by the Court.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Special attention is called to the sale of real estate at the auction room of A. B. Richardson this morning. The property embraces one of the choice blocks in the city—situated between C and D, and First and Second streets.

OUR FASHIONS.—Although there are a very large number of merchant tailoring establishments in this city, some of them not excelled in the State, there is not one of them at which a gentleman can be more thoroughly dressed than at that of J. Ochsli & Co., 89 First street. They have competent fitters and cutters who will do justice to work extended to them. If you want a neat fitting suit, and furnishing goods to make the whole "rig" complete, Go to this House.

THE REASON WHY.—It is always a pleasure to deal with an individual or a firm when one knows that the managers and their entire corps of assistants endeavor to please their customers. The firm that carries out this idea of management is popular and that firm is Fisher & Roberts, corner of Washington and First street. The new Cutter they have employed has given so much satisfaction that the business has increased wonderfully, so much so that they may feel at ease while purchasing anything of the firm. They are introducing new goods by every steamer.

BRANCHING OUT.—Persons living in the southern end of the city have certainly observed an extension of the first street, between Lincoln and Taylor. This change has been made by Quinn, the well known dealer in Fish, Game and Poultry, who opened this stand as a branch establishment, where at all times full supplies of everything in his particular line can be found. At the old stand—Washington street—corner of First and Yamhill—the usual supply of Fish, Game and Poultry can be had at any time. Orders left at either place will be promptly filled.

THE CENTRAL HOUSE at The Dalles is now complete and furnished in every respect unsurpassed. The office is the most cheerful and pleasantest in the State, and the dining hall is unequaled. The house is conveniently situated. The locality has the advantage of many advantages, for families. The rooms are large and airy, and kitchen than the ordinary hotel. The table is kept in a style to correspond fully with the appointments.

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The Illinois Flood.

DESTRUCTION ALONG THE ... IN OUR OWN AND OTHER TOWNS.

From the Peoria Review, June 7.

The heaviest rain storm that ever visited our city gave us a call last night. What could have endured the "iron wagon" to resist us in such overwhelming force at this season we cannot comprehend, unless it was Jim Robinson's circus. The storm commenced between 9 and 10 o'clock last night, and was a regular flood of rain. On the Farmington road the culvert just this side of Jacksonville corner was washed out, and the gulley was filled across the road by the water to such a depth that wagon communication between the country and city by that important place is entirely suspended. Down the bottoms in that part of the town and the Bluffs the sweeping storm swept with irresistible fury. Large trees that must have stood as monuments of the forest for a century were uprooted by the violence of the sudden torrents, and carried down the valleys, carrying away every wagon and footbridge over the water course. On the Knoxville road the damage was also extensive. A farmer who came in from the west country to-day informs us that the "Big Hollow" bridge, near the old Aaron Gregg farm, is swept away, and that the farms out in that vicinity have suffered terribly. The damage cannot be computed now, but in some places whole fields have been laid waste, fences carried away. Farms swept from their places, and devastation seems to have swept the Big Hollow Valley through its whole length.

The iron bridge over the Richardson is reported as having been swept away, and the storm proved very destructive down that valley. In every direction from the country we receive reports of farms swept over by overflowing creeks, fences destroyed, stock drowned, and crops ruined. The railroads have all suffered more or less, as most of them has left Peoria in any direction to-day except the construction trains, which ran to the first bridge on their respective roads, and one passenger train, which started on the P. P. and J., carrying Robinson's circus, and went probably as far as the Mackinaw bridge. The night express on the Chicago and Rock Island Railroad started out last night for Chicago. An hour's run brought the train to a washed out culvert, when the officers of the road, rather than attempt the hazardous feat of "jumping the break," decided to back down to Peoria again. Before reaching the city, however, they found another culvert had washed out between the city and the train, and they concluded to weather the storm where they were. The passengers reached the city this morning by conveyances provided by the railroad company. This road has, however, suffered so little that it will run a train through to Chicago on the regular time this evening. The Peoria, Pekin and Jacksonville has suffered only a little detention of trains while the track was being examined. It has been found to be all right through its entire length, and the trains will run on usual time, and without any delay whatever.

The Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad has been damaged considerably. One of their employes tells us that four miles of track are gone, and the number of bridges washed away have not yet been reported. The train from Burlington is laid up at Elmwood, at which point the storm is said to have raged with greater severity than here.

At Hilton the devastation is greater than at any point in this vicinity. The track of the I., P. and W. is washed away there in two places. One bridge, some 150 feet in length, is carried away clean and entire, and not a vestige of rails, ties or piles can be found anywhere. A large corps of men are at work repairing the damage, and Superintendent Day K. Smith has established a temporary telegraph office at this point, consisting of an operator on an office stool, with an instrument and the main line tapped. Hilton is pretty well washed out. The wagon bridge, near Sulphur Springs, is carried down the stream half a mile.

The most singular phenomenon of the storm is the fact that the Illinois river is running up stream. The various creeks and tributaries are pouring in immense volumes of water, and it is also said that back water from the Mississippi is also affecting the river. Be the cause what it may, the logs and driftwood are floating through the bridge to day, going up the river with as great velocity as they ever floated down.

About Carrier Pigeons.

In Holland and Belgium a great deal of attention is paid to pigeons, and a yearly exhibition at Antwerp does much to foster and encourage the breeding and training of them. There is, in fact, or was, in this city, a society of pigeon fanciers, and at the annual competition in 1869 an interesting trial came off, the result of which has been handed down to us. A pigeon belonging there was conveyed to London and thrown up, when it immediately flew away back to its home, returning in six hours a distance of a hundred and eighty miles, measured in a straight line.

The pigeons used officially in France during the late war are said to have exceeded this rate considerably, traveling at the rate of nearly forty miles an hour.

By what intuitive principle the bird is guided when it is thrown up, and immediately, after soaring to an immense height, makes for its home, it is of course impossible to say. The pigeon is not the only animal which possesses this peculiar power of finding its way back from a long distance to the spot it has previously left. Dogs, cats, horses, cows, foxes, and many kinds of birds have done this, even by a route never before traversed, and indeed the migration of birds of passage to foreign climes is a no less remarkable exercise of this faculty than any of the others. The subject has for ages deeply interested naturalists, who have endeavored to explain in various ways how these feats are performed. But the problem still remains unsolved, although various theories have been started upon it, and the only conclusion at which we can arrive is this, that Providence has bestowed upon certain birds and animals an instinct which, as we do not possess it, we can never understand.

It seems clear that the desire for food and its attachment to the place where it was, more particularly to the spot where it was bringing up its young are the means by which the capacities of the pigeon are rendered useful to man, for it is always necessary to carry the bird away from or to either of these places before it is sent on an errand, as it is on other will it return when left to itself but by what trademarks its route is directed, it is generally supposed, the conformation of the sense at first appears to these pigeons to be utterly unknown. In short instances we can very well understand that the bird might be taught the land might be sufficient to enable it to observe such situations, for instance, as one by which the canal, however powerful their vision may be, however far-seeing their eyes, these birds can see for hundreds of miles, over mountains and hills, forests and seas, to the end of the journey on which they are bound. It is well known that a pigeon cannot undertake a journey by night and so find a log greatly endangers the success of its mission, and from this it seems evident that keen sight is an essential element in its flight.—*Chambers' Journal*.

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The applicant filing in this office a claim in the form prescribed, to-wit:

Pre-emption, ... date, No. ——.

To the Land Agent of the European and Oregon Land Company:

SIR: You are hereby notified that I have settled upon and improved (description of land) in the county of ——, State of Oregon, containing —— acres, and that I claim a pre-emption right to purchase said lands at the Company's valuation in accordance with the following resolution of the Directors of said Company, adopted on the twenty-sixth day of May, A. D. 1871, to the terms of which I hereby fully assent:

"Resolved, That the parties settling upon and improving any of the lands of the European and Oregon Land Company, before the same are opened for market, shall be entitled to the pre-emption privilege of purchase on the same terms as the Company would sell the same for, with such improvements, and shall be subject to same conditions of payment, as all other lands belonging to the Company, when brought into market, provided, such settlers shall file in the Land Office of said Company, written applications, giving notice of such settlement, and shall accept the privilege upon these terms within the time that the lands shall be fixed at the time of such filing, and if the lands be not purchased by the said parties within sixty days from the date of such notice the Company will be at liberty to sell the land to any other person."

(Name of applicant.)

(Postoffice address.)

When the application is received, a certificate, signed by the Agent, stipulating the Company to the terms, will be sent to the claimant in the following form:

PRE-EMPTION CERTIFICATE, No. ——.

This is to certify that ——, of —— county, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office a pre-emption claim to (description of premises), and is hereby entitled to the first privilege of purchasing said land at the Company's valuation, which is to be made without reference to improvements, when the same shall be placed in market, in accordance with a resolution of the Board of Directors of said Company, adopted May 26, A. D. 1871.

When the price of the said described land is fixed, notice thereof will be sent to the party to whom the Certificate is issued, and if the land is not paid for by the said party within sixty days from the date of such notice the Company will be at liberty to sell the land to any other person.

(Name of applicant.)

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THUS, it will be perceived, that no private, clandestine or party claim can, at this initial period of the settlement of the Company's lands, be recognized, but that all parties must stand upon an equal footing, and the first actual settler, who complies with the terms of the Company, will be entitled to the land. Parties settling upon the lands of the Company will be at liberty to sell the land to any other person.

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Erect the throne of winter ripples, and strewn the deepest dread

Spring has opened [illegible] and [illegible] a carpet for her feet,
Silver dawn, golden [illegible]

Bade the trees unfold a [illegible]
Where sometime soon [illegible]

Pale narcissus and faint lilies [illegible] well.
Where fern fronds for the furniture, lest the [illegible] tell;

But hyacinth and hare-bell ring the [illegible]
For the breeze to catch the echoes, and answer with a shout.

The busy brooklets, listening, have learned [illegible] to song,
And sing it to the tedious as they gaily [illegible]
The mountain streams, no longer [illegible]
[illegible] lay,
And leaping o'er their rocky [illegible]

Glad butterflies are fluttering like bonbons on [illegible]
Rich flowers sold in their new [illegible]
The toiling bees hum merrily the [illegible]
The very frogs croak gleefully after springtide [illegible]

No need the tardy cock [illegible] coming of the spring;
Whilst other warblers [illegible]
And orchards white with [illegible] blooms apple-bread.
Bring dreams of summer [illegible]

Spring is here — and summer is coming with [illegible]
For the sky-lark, like a courtier, has winged [illegible]
The first to meet Queen Summer in her golden [illegible]
And salute her with his anthem close to her palace gate.

— All the Year Round.

AGE OF ANIMALS.—A bear rarely exceeds twenty years, a dog lives twenty years, a wolf twenty; a fox sixteen. Lions are long-lived the celebrated Pompey lived to the age of seventy. The average of cats is fifteen, a squirrel or hare, seven or eight; rabbits seven; elephants have been known to live to the age of four hundred years.

When Alexander the Great had conquered Porus, King of India, he took a large elephant which had fought valiantly for the king, and naming him Ajax, dedicated him to the sun with this inscription: "Alexander, the son of Jupiter, has dedicated Ajax to the sun." He was found with this inscription three hundred and fifty years afterward. Pigs have been known to live to the age of thirty years; the rhinoceros to twenty. A horse has been known to live to the age of sixty-five, but the average is twenty-five to thirty. Camels sometimes live to the age of one hundred. Stags are long-lived. Sheep seldom exceed the age of ten, and cows live about fifteen years.

Currier thinks it probable that whales sometimes live a thousand years. An eminent naturalist has the skeleton of a swan that attained the age of two hundred. Pelicans are long-lived. A tortoise has been known to live to the great age of one hundred and seven.

The Sacramento *Bee* says: "We wonder that narrow guage railroads are not construction on this coast and out in the Territories where it would hardly pay to build wide guage roads. Especially in this State, Nevada and Oregon could these roads be built and operated profitably. All through the foothills they could be run, from Plumas to Mariposa, tapping the mining towns and camps which lie along that belt, and which require only quick and frequent communication with the outside world to insure the introduction of capital, increased population and ultimate prosperity. All these mountain counties are fine fruit-growing regions, yet their fruit seldom gets to market in good condition, and the bay counties have a great advantage over them in that respect. Beside the yield of the mines, the wood, horticultural, viniculturul and silk-growing interests of the State would be greatly enhanced by the building of narrow guage railroads through these mountain districts."

Spanish affairs are growing worse and worse. The King has quarrelled with the Conservatives, Sagasta has gone to France and Serrano to England in disgust, and the Republicans are arming the towns for a revolution.

WEATHER REPORT.

JUNE 24, 1872.

War Department, Signal Service, U. S. Army, Division of Telegrams and Reports for the benefit of Commerce.

Place of Observation	Height of Barometer	Change in last 3 hrs.	Thermometer	Change in last 24 hrs.	Direction of Wind.	Force of Wind.	Velocity per hr.	State of Weather
4:32 A. M.								
Portland	30.13	+.08	57°	1°	Calm		56	Fair
San Diego	30.02	.....	69°	—	N.	Gentle	03	Cloudy
S. Fr'cisco	30.08	+.08	53°	—	S. W.	Fresh	81	Cloudy
1:32 P. M.								
Portland	30.05	—.08	80°	—	E.	Light	37	Cloudy
San Diego	30.02	.....	79°	—	W.	Fresh	6	Clear
S. Fr'cisco	30.11	—.03	59°	—	W.	High	76	Clear
9:32 P. M.								
Portland	30.06	+.03	66°	8°	S.	Fresh	55	Cloudy
San Diego	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
S. Fr'cisco	30.09	—.02	54°	—	W.	Brisk	50	Clear

Note.—Barometer corrected for temperature and elevation.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

TUESDAY EVENING, June 25, 1872.

Gold in New York to-day, 112¼.

Portland Legal Tender rates, 93c buying; 95c selling.

The departure of the steamer *Ajax* for San Francisco has been deferred till to-morrow evening at 7 o'clock.

The next steamer from San Francisco will be the *John L. Stephens*. She will sail for this port on Thursday morning.

The barkentine *Melancthon* will, after discharging cargo, proceed to Coos Bay for coal for San Francisco.

The British ship *Fit-zard*, from Hongkong, begun discharging this morning. Her cargo is coming out in fine condition.

The Grain and Flour market remains as last reported. Advices received from different parts of the State confirm previous statements of prospective light yield of late-sown grain. The months of May and June have been unusually dry, and it is now impossible that the fields of stunted grain can make a good yield. But the fields which were sown earlier present a very hopeful appearance. It is yet too soon to begin to form an estimate of the whole crop, since it is not known what proportion of the acreage sown will prove a partial or entire failure.

Ankeny's Cheese, a good article, is in the market, at 20c per pound.

Large quantities of wood produced east of the Cascade mountains are coming down the Columbia river. To-day the O. S. N. Co's steamer brought down 300 bales. This wool is delivered to most contracts made some time ago, and was bought at higher rates than the market will now justify.

In an article on finances the New York *Mercantile Journal* of the 8th inst. remarks:

The monetary situation is the casual observer appears to be moderately satisfactory, as money is in fair supply at rates less than the average of the past three months. But to those who examine into the movements of financial affairs with care the outlook is not flattering. The time must come sooner or later, when the bonds issued by National, State and Municipal authority as well as railroad corporations must be met; a time when we shall not be able to pay maturing debts by contracting new ones of still larger amounts in order to cover further purchases of gewgaws. That our indebtedness to Europe has been increasing with great rapidity for several years past is beyond question, and the payment of interest alone requires large shipments of the products of the country. The exports are generally in the form of Cotton, Grain, Flour, Pork, Lard, Butter, Cheese and other agricultural products, and only occasionally are shipments of metals made, constituting, perhaps a one hundredth part of the total. If we did not run in debt to our neighbors across the water by agreeing to pay such terrible high rates of interest the case would not be so bad. And if the time is not so far distant, if the same current continued which it will require all our surplus productions beyond a restricted consumption to pay the interest. It is evident, indeed, that our exports are made up mainly of necessaries of life, while our imports are very largely composed of fancy articles of little utility.

Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 25.—Flour—500 bbls State & Oregon, for local trade, and 500 bbls Buckeye City for export, private. We quote jobbing rates for superfine $4@$4 25.

Wheat—A lot of 2000 ctls choice shipping Red Fife sold at the Valley mills at $1 [illegible] Steamer—English and Chilian, aggregating 1,900 ctls, sold at $1 [illegible] and at mill $1 85@1 90.

Barley—400 ctls old feed, $1 45; 400 ctls [illegible] $1 [illegible] sale, $1 37½ was the end of the week. $1 [illegible] the morning at $1, a decline and dull at the [illegible] Brewing and feed are asking $1.

Oats—1,450 ctls gray and [illegible] sold, $1 [illegible] 2,000 ctls do $1 [illegible] $1 [illegible] nothing [illegible] remained over $1.

[illegible]

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